

IC 9-18-4

Chapter 4. Vehicle Registration by Mail

IC 9-18-4-1

Eligible vehicles

Sec. 1. The bureau may accept an application by mail for a license plate for a:

- (1) motor vehicle;
- (2) semitrailer; or
- (3) recreational vehicle;

if the person applying for the license plate has been issued a certificate of title for the motor vehicle, semitrailer, or recreational vehicle, unless excepted under IC 9-17-2-13 or IC 9-18-2-18.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6.

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Previous direct issuance required

Sec. 2. An application made by mail under section 1 of this chapter must be for a license plate previously issued directly from the bureau to the applicant.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6.

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Place of mailing

Sec. 3. An application made under section 1 of this chapter must be mailed to:

- (1) the preprinted return address contained on the registration application form provided by the bureau; or
- (2) if registered under the International Registration Plan, to the department of state revenue under rules adopted under IC 4-22-2.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6. Amended by P.L.62-1996, SEC.10; P.L.61-1996, SEC.19.

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Change of registration; refunds, credits, and adjustments

Sec. 4. The bureau may establish administrative procedures to provide for:

- (1) a refund;
- (2) a credit; or
- (3) an adjustment;

if a person who has registered a vehicle finds it necessary to change the vehicle registration from registration under any other law to registration under the International Registration Plan.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6.

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Applications; swearing and notarizing; false statements

Sec. 5. (a) An application made through the United States mail is not required to be sworn to or notarized.

(b) A person applying for a license plate by mail may not make a false statement in the application for the license plate.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6.

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Postal service; agency

Sec. 6. In all proceedings under this chapter, the United States Postal Service is considered to be the agent of the applicant and not the agent of the:

- (1) bureau; or
- (2) commissioner.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6.

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Adoption of rules; forms

Sec. 7. (a) The bureau may:

- (1) prescribe forms; and
- (2) adopt rules;

to implement this chapter.

(b) A form prescribed under this section must include the information described in IC 9-18-2-16(b)(3).

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6. Amended by P.L.126-1995, SEC.1; P.L.2-1996, SEC.223; P.L.96-1997, SEC.2; P.L.29-2000, SEC.1.

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Violations

Sec. 8. A person who knowingly violates this chapter commits a Class B misdemeanor.

As added by P.L.2-1991, SEC.6.